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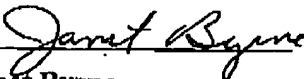
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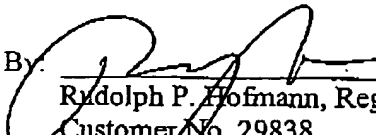
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Any inquiry regarding this matter should be directed to Rudolph P. Hofmann at (612) 607-7340.

Respectfully submitted,

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